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# LOBBYING REPORT

## Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required to Complete This Page

<b>1. Registrant Name</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization/Lobbying Firm <input type="checkbox"/> Self Employed Individual <u>TYSON FOODS, INC</u>			
<b>2. Address</b> Address1 <u>601 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW, #750</u> Address2 _____			
City <u>WASHINGTON</u>	State <u>DC</u>	Zip Code <u>20004</u>	Country <u>USA</u>
<b>3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)</b>			
City _____	State _____	Zip Code _____	Country _____
4a. Contact Name <u>Mrs. NORA H. VENEGAS</u>	b. Telephone Number <u>2023933921</u>	c. E-mail <u>nora.venegas@tyson.com</u>	<b>5. Senate ID#</b> <u>79255-12</u>
7. Client Name <u>TYSON FOODS, INC</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Self</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Check if client is a state or local government or instrumentality</i>		<b>6. House ID#</b> <u>362310000</u>

### TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2016 Q1 (1/1 - 3/31)  Q2 (4/1 - 6/30)  Q3 (7/1 - 9/30)  Q4 (10/1 - 12/31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report  Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_ 11. No Lobbying Issue Activity

### INCOME OR EXPENSES - YOU MUST complete either Line 12 or Line 13

#### 12. Lobbying

**INCOME** relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$5,000

\$5,000 or more  \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$10,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

#### 13. Organizations

**EXPENSE** relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$5,000

\$5,000 or more  \$ 251,294.00

**14. REPORTING** Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

**Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only

**Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code

**Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature

Digitally Signed By: Charles Penry

Date

1/30/2017  
3:27:25 PM

**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.** Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Add additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code TAX

16. Specific lobbying issues

Tax issues impacting Tyson Foods

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies  Check if None

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U.S. SENATE

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Charles	Penry			<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above  Check if None

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15. General issue area code ENG

16. Specific lobbying issues

General outreach on Federal ethanol and biofuels policy

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies  Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Charles	Penry			<input type="checkbox"/>
Matt	Mika			<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above  Check if None

[Redacted]

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15. General issue area code TRD

16. Specific lobbying issues

Market access for US Beef to key export market.  
US port issues  
Trans Atlantic Trade & Investment Partnerships  
Market Access for Chicken to key export markets  
Market access for US Pork to key export markets  
Trans-Pacific Partnership trade agreement  
US port issues

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies  Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Agriculture - Dept of (USDA), U.S. Trade Representative (USTR)

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Charles	Penry			<input type="checkbox"/>
Matt	Mika			<input type="checkbox"/>

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15. General issue area code AGR

16. Specific lobbying issues

Food Safety Issues  
GIPSA Issues  
Enhanced Labeling  
Farm Bill  
Nutrition Issues  
Food Labeling

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies  Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Agriculture - Dept of (USDA)

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Charles	Penry			<input type="checkbox"/>
Nora	Venegas			<input type="checkbox"/>
Matt	Mika			<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above  Check if None

[Redacted]

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15. General issue area code LBR

16. Specific lobbying issues

Labor Issues

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies  Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Charles	Penry			<input type="checkbox"/>
Nora	Venegas			<input type="checkbox"/>
Matt	Mika			<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above  Check if None

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15. General issue area code ENV

16. Specific lobbying issues

general environmental issues

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies  Check if None

U.S. SENATE, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Agriculture - Dept of (USDA)

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Charles	Penry			<input type="checkbox"/>
Matt	Mika			<input type="checkbox"/>

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15. General issue area code TRA

16. Specific lobbying issues

general transportation issues

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies  Check if None

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Charles	Penry			<input type="checkbox"/>
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### Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

22. New General description of client's business or activities

### LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

First Name	Last Name	Suffix	First Name	Last Name	Suffix
1			3		
2			4		

### ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issue that no longer pertains

\_\_\_\_\_

### AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Internet Address:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Address</b>				<b>Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)</b>
	<b>Street Address</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>State/Province</b>	<b>Zip</b>	
				<b>City</b>	<b>State</b>
					<b>Country</b>

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

[1] [2] [3]

## FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Address</b>			<b>Principal place of business (city and state or country)</b>	<b>Amount of contribution for lobbying activities</b>	<b>Ownership percentage in client</b>
	<b>Street Address</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>State/Province</b>			
				<b>City</b>		
				<b>State</b>		
				<b>Country</b>		

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

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